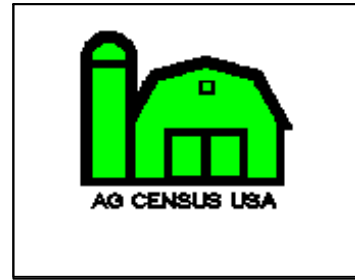


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Land in farms

Increased 6 percent from 111,913 acres in 1992 to 118,597 acres in 1997.

Average size of farms

Increased 2 percent from 241 acres in 1992 to 246 acres in 1997.

Full time farms

Decreased 14 percent from 218 farms in 1992 to 188 farms in 1997.

Market value of agricultural products sold

Increased 18 percent to \$34,703,000 in 1997.

Crop sales accounted for 63 percent of the market value.

Livestock sales accounted for 37 percent of the market value.

Market value of agricultural products sold, average per farm

Increased 14 percent from \$63,402 in 1992 to \$71,998 in 1997.

